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Office of Prevention & Toxic Substances  
Mail Code 7407  
EPA  
401 M ST. SW  
Washington, D.C. 20460  
Attention: Chemical Inventory

Dear Mr. Anapole:

Per our phone conversation yesterday, 8/24/98, regarding the status of changing PDDP (para-dodecylphenol) linear to branched, you indicated that you would contact CAS today and request a new CAS Registry Number be assigned to the branched PDDP. EPA will approve the branched name.

As I indicated to you at that time, our customers have been asking for the corrected CAS RN # since we submitted a Correction Request to you last November 1997. I also described the situation of one of our customers who has proceeded with a PMN using the branched PDDP name and now finds that CEPA will not approve their NSN because that name is not on the DSL/NDSL. Therefore, they cannot move forward with production of their new product in Canada. They are losing sales and so are we, while waiting for over nine months for this Correction Request to be processed.

Your assistance in expediting this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Marsha J. Shea".

Marsha J. Shea  
Manager, Technical Information Services

